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AAAS Statement on Bipartisan Agreement to Raise U.S. Budget Caps

“We applaud the recent bipartisan agreement announced by congressional leaders and the White House to raise discretionary funding caps for fiscal years 2020 and 2021. This action is needed to allow policymakers the flexibility to authorize critical investments in our nation’s scientific research, which enables economic development and prosperity. We urge Congress to continue to work in a bipartisan fashion and finalize fiscal year 2020 appropriations that reflect support for science and innovation in the United States.”

— Alan I. Leshner, interim chief executive officer, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)

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